TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

One square of eight lines, \$1.50 for the first

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CRIMES AND CASUALTIES. A SISTER of Senator Sharon endeav-

red to kill herself with a penknife recently in a bath-room of the Palace Hotel at San

Two masked robbers plundered a

Intive Appropriation bill was taken up and New Comerstown, O. ninerstiments made in Committee of the Whole Ture Mississippi R

amendments made in Committee of the Whole were garged to, except that provision for the report of the law authorizing the appointment of Assistant Secretary of Way and of the Navy rashes sively, was struck out. The bill then passed, as the bill to pervent the importation of adulterated tealing operatory during bill massed. A tele craim was read amount in containing the sandited. The sandity (40) bill massed. A tele craim was read amount in thin 3, in feet of the Gevernment work at Plum Point Reach had been carried away. The report on T. T. Major's cisim to a seat as contineent moner from bakeds, charging him with misred per irrom bakeds, charging him with misred per irrom bakeds, charging him with misred per irrom bakeds, charging him with misred to be over.

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The principal merchant in Blacks burn, Ky., had a \$12,000 stock of dry goods on a barge tied to a tree. The villages of the South Bend (Iod.) Paper-mill, called a surfaced repeating all internal taxes except on distilled spirits.

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NOAH D. SMITH pleaded guilty at ary is estimated at \$7,500,000. Memphis, Tenn., the other day to a charge A BLAST containing 131 kegs of pow-

Pa., the other day. All were more or less Church of the Holy Name of Jesus, New

JOHN H. GRAHAM, of the firm of E. water supply of Milwaukee, Wis., on the H. Whitney & Co., of Chicago, Ill., osten- | 28th, and the city was threatened with a purchases with \$8,000, but instead went to | THE total fund for the relief of the New York, where he was overhauled by Diamond Mine sufferers in Braidwood, Ill.,

Norwich, Conn., the other evening, and was for by the Mexican Central Railroad Comfollowed by a brilliant meteor.

AT Rome, Italy, paper bombs charged with powder were the other day thrown into the court-yard of the residence of the the Order of Bath.

de have been unnually stolen and sold out-

ver and Harbor bill in Committee of the Ar Lawrence, Mass., Charles H. Cate been carefully computed at \$433,000.

cooligis, McCherson, Miller, Ingalis, Maxey. Indian camp near Chihuahua, Mex., the Ireland, on the 1st, that crowds besieged totler, Morgan, Gorman, Davis, Jones and other day and captured twenty-five squaws the houses of the priests, clamoring for

fifteen shots on the streets of Salt Lake, Utah, the other day, in settlement of some

propriation bill was agreed to. It appropriates \$30,000 more than when it passed the House. The River and Harbor bill was further considered in committee. An effort to pro-

he was wanted on a charge of theft,

of tacking it to the bul. A motion was made to expel him for using such language, but was withdrawn on retraction and apology. Lake, Utah, have been sentenced to the Penitentiary, Nay, Hawley and Francis for

ward of 25,000 guilders offered by Holland THERE was little change in the flood

in 1596 for the discovery of the Northeast reports on the 26th. Backwaler in the THE widow of ex-Governor Marshall much damage, and a fresh break in the levee Jewell died suddenly, at New York on the two miles above Greenville, Ark., had of Shawneetown, Ill., was increasing on the flooded several plantations.

Among the inmates of the National A NEW pest-house has been estab-

ANOTHER great plot has been un-A BILL has been reported favorably earthed in Brussels by the discovery of he executive business and legislative ses- covery arrests were expected to be made in burg a more hopeful view was taken of the

IN a recent interview between Presi- A CIRCULAR has been issued by ex- JAMES WILSON, of Tama County, dent Greey and Mr. Gladstone there was an Secretary Windom, John W. Candler, and Iowa, has resigned his position of Railway effort made to terminate the high tension others, announcing their acceptance as trus- Commissioner to contest the election to relations existing between France and En- tees of a new Stock Exchange in New York. Congress from the Fifth District. land on the Egyptian question. Negotia. A large number of applications for mem- A NEW disease among horses has be- on the 27th of last July. He was also ions would probably be reopened on a bership have already been made. It is proposed to sell five hundred seats at \$5,000 igan. It resembles glanders.

meving an amendment to the address to the Informers in seven Spanish towns States Mints for February were \$4,548,360, route to that county.

Court, long term, Austin Blair; for short train in Indiana the other day and could not Senate. orm, Thomas J. O'Brien; for Regent of the be found, fell in an overflowed creek, was A GENERAL suspension of the Pitts-University, full term, Harry B. Hutchins: washed ashore by the freshet, picked up by burgh, Pa., glass factories was threatened for Regent, short term James C. Jones. farmers and sent on to St. Louis. He was on the 2d. THE recent elections in Ontario, crazed from the effects of an injury to his THE Governor of Pennsylvania has New York, where two years ago they estab-

MARY DANIELS, claiming \$100,000 dodging against the Standard Oil Company THE Massachusetts House of Repre- from the Central Hudson Railroad for in- in that State. entatives has defeated-127 to 60-the bill juries received in the Spuyten Duyvil (N. MASKED burglars robbed the houses to give women the right to vote at town Y.) disaster, has settled for \$20,000, the of Farmers Bixler and Wiffenbach, near meetings. The vote in the Texas House on largest sum ever paid by that company for Strasburg, O., recently, by gagging and

tution was 55 against, 33 for, with 17 absent. A LARGE meeting of citizens was held making her tell where the valuables and The Maine House has passed the bill restor- in Cincinnati, O., the other day to discuss | money were kept. They got several thoua bill proposing to create a street and sani. sand dolfars in the first and \$4,000 in the SENATOR ORVILLE H. PLATT, of tary commission for two years and place a second. Connecticut, has been elected a member of million dollars at its disposal. The vote A SNEAK thief stole \$71,000 worth of the Republican National Committee, in place | was practically unanimous in favor of the | bonds from the Guarantee Trust Deposit

GILBERT L. CROWELL, of New York, has ruined himself and three female relatives who had trusted their joint fortunes amounting to \$750,000 to his care, by in- County, Tex., reported a few days ago that vesting too heavily in a worthless silver | cattle were dying by hundreds in that counmine in Utah.

THE flood was at a stand at Cairo on farm-house of \$1,200 the other night near the 27th, but the situation was still perilous.

a watery waste, every foot of ground be- nearly every house had some one sick for

the Utah Central quarries, displaced 200, -

York City, to enable the pastor to erect a

Ice had put an embargo on the

had reached \$10,050 on the 28th.

pany has been all subscribed. THE Crown Prince of Germany has

Austrian Minister, before the Austrian Em- Ir is said that 3,500,000 pounds of Charles Walker, a negro brakeman, and bassy, and in front of the royal palace of the dried apples were experted from this dangerously wounded two passengers. country last year.

Conferres were appointed on certained recently that \$40,000 worth of bar- O., had received \$150,000 to a recent date, tion, South Louisville, Ky., lately, threw and the municipal appropriation of \$50,000 pections to the bill. The supplemental side the city by the collusion of drivers and would probably be returned to the Treasury. part of the depot platform, damaged the strongle bill was passed. A stormy even coopers.

The losses at Lawrenceburg, Ind., had water-tank and splintered the seven cars.

of New York, was last summer sent to an THREE passengers were killed out- insane asylum in Philadelphia, Pa. She of Great British was reported adversely.

Senate conference on the fevenue and Tariff bill were instructed to report to the senate if they found any restrictions touching the content of the Louis-

ported, though planters were still hopeful D. C., recently, Merrick denounced Ingerto the Court.

THE Receiver of a bankrupt Savings

Bank at New Haven, Copn., has been adten per cent, dividend or see his grave within six weeks.

S. H. Fox & Co., of Oneida County, N. Y., the largest glass manufacturing firm in that State, have made an assignment. Liabilities, \$150,000.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

fourteen and Earl and Jackson for twelve 2d conference report on the District of Co- trouble was some words between the negro lution was adopted for a committee to in- house and the difficulty occurred. cur in amendments to the Sundry Civil bill. | were made. Several bills passed under the Pound rule. The Frost-Sessinghaus contest was consid-

ered and Sessinghaus seated. THE suffering at the flood-swept city 2d. Only thirty houses were habitable and frightfully prevalent.

AT Helena, Ark., on the 2d they were | siarmed by the noise. expecting a greater flood than that of last year, which was the greatest ever known. Damage in Southeast Missouri it was said would exceed that of last year, the water of the Pennsylvania Legislature to remove compromising documents. From the dis-

come epidemic in the lumber camps of Mich-

THE coinage at the various United

asked for an investigation of charges of tax | lished a branch house.

binding the daughter in each house and

Company of Philadelphia on the 2d. mitting suide.

THE TARIFF BILL AS PASSED BY THE SENATE.

the Senate Tariff bill:

on bank eleculation, making a total intern ?

The tariff port on of the bill abolishes a

unter of clements now defiable are place on the free ist by the Tria Commission dethis number was considerably increase

not decorated the charges and intain t anpotaton which, the committee claimed, wimake the rate of duty about five per cent. I sthen the existing law, the red schon being entirely is the effect of the ab dition of the duty
on packages and inland t ansportation.

SCHEDCLE U-METALS.

The rates adopt d by the Senate are, in some mp refaut part cu are, considerably lower than

the rates reported by the Tari I Commission from recommiss to the same rates-50 cents

Court in New York has decided that the state in six come in simply as steel not otherwise provided for, at 3) per cent, ad valorem. The increase of 10 per cent, therefore, in the Schut bill is a reduction of five per cent, on the practice of the Treesery, but an increase of live per cent over what the United State Court says the low is This, really, is a practical decreases over the avertical decreases.

practical decrease over the existing law, the

ce existing law. This schedule, in which a eduction would have benefi ed the farmer, a paintained at existing rates for the benefit of

SCHEDULE F-TORACCO.

from 5 cents to \$1 per pound.
SCHEDULE G—PROVISIONS,
Most of the articles in this schedule remain

The notable change is an increase of the duty m champagne of \$1 per dozen quarts, and a corresponding increase in pints.

There is a reduction of an average of about Specient, at valor m on the present rates. There is a general reduction upon all articles.

excepting fine hosiers, cotton laces, embroid eries, insertings, lace window-curtains, and outon velvet. These articles are all increased

A BROOKLYN hoarding-house keeper has

brought a suit of thirteen thousand dollars

com 35 to 40 per cent. ad valorem.

the lumber | arons.

A well-known stock raiser of La Sails inprepared to feed and shelter animals, and had not the means to bide the time neces-

The failure of Yearger, Pety & Co., iry goods, Ruleigh, N. C., has been and attention and with the existing law are meed. They expected to pay all their Rufus Butler, of Glasgow, Scotland,

Blake and Sam Webb had a difficulty near Belmont, Ky., a few days ago, about a job of work they had on hand, when Blake THE public debt reduction for Februs of work they had on hand, when Blake follows: struck Webb a fearful blow in the face. Webb then seized an ax and sent the blade er's death was expected. Webb escaped.

Dinah Snell, a colored woman aged 2 years, who resides at Cynthiana, Kv., was granted some money recently by the county Court, and two negro women, on earing of it, garroted the old woman and eat her nearly to death in a vain effort to get the money from ber-

At the recent sale of trotters at Cynthiana, Ky., sixty-one head were sold at an verage of \$376. Martha W. sold for \$2,050; Halskin, \$1,500; Ethan Wilkes, three years, \$1,100; yearling Wilkes, \$1,500; two Mainbrino Wilkes, \$1,100 each.

In the recent shooting match at Louisville, Ky., between Dr. Carver and Bogardus, 100 birds, thirty yards rise, the former won by one bird, the score being 83

up to Raccoon Bridge, on the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Road, near Atlanta, been gazetted Knight of the Grand Cross of Ga., the other day demolished about twenty cars, killed R. Tidwell, engineer, and

THE brewers of New York have as- THE relief committee at Cincinnati, drawing seven cars at the Short Line June. all the cars on the main track, tore away The Knoxville Branch and Nashville trains fatally shot Mrs. M. S. Anderson the other A DAUGHTER of the late Jesse Hoyt, were delayed until a track was laid around the wreck. No one hurt. Tom Lamb, a negro desperado who

MARCH 1 .- In the Senate Messrs. Bayard that the overflow would not be of great ex- soll as a puppy, and in return was called a along the creek at Hot Springs, Ark., has and Beck were excused from serving on the tent. At Cairo the danger was thought to dirty dog. Both subsequently apologized been let to the second lowest bidder, an Ar-

to accomplish it as the Government desires it done.

One of the most celebrated murder cases in Texas was closed the other day by the Court of Appeals affirming the decision of the lower court that Andrew J. Walker must endure imprisonment for life. He must endure imprisonment for life. He

one-half a c ni per pound. Seed in forms n spec ally provided for semains at 30 per cen at valuem, the present rate. The non-course at edds sof manufactures of fro-The Mayor of Austin, Tex., has apand steel are fixed at 35 per cent. On all various enumerated forms of manufactures of ron and steel the rates adopted by the Senate are substeminally those of the Tariff 4 cumms. pointed a committee of aldermen to provide a pest-house, anticipating the introduction sion, which are an average reduction of 20 per cent below the present rites. SCHEDULE D-WOOD AND WOODEN-WARE. This schedule remains about the same as

D. N. Speer, Treasurer of Georgia, a negro named Jerry Collier the night be-

lumbia bill was agreed to and a new confer- and Barrow's father. His father told him ence on the Postal bill was ordered. A reso- about it, and they both went to the negro's

in Towns County, Georgia. Burglars at Howe Station, Tex., after preparing a safe for explosion a few days ago, piled sacks of coffee about it and malarial fevers and other sickness were wrapped them in wet cloths. Two doors

were thus blown off, and no one was Dr. John M. Duke, one of the ablest

physicians in Kentucky, died at Maysville recently, of paralysis. Samuel O. Fowler, a veteran of the successful struggle of Texas for independ-

ence, died in Louisville, Ky., a few days W. H. H. Holly was arrested near the Arkansas line and taken to Shreveport, La., the other day, charged with robbing the charged with horse-stealing in Bell County, Tex., some time in 1877, and was arrested then but escaped from the Sheriff while en

Water, water everywhere!

A San Antonio, Tex., paper of a recent date says: "The price of cattle has

printers, Richmond, Va., have assigned, Liabilities, \$90,000; assets, \$92,000. The embarrassment is attributed to losses sustained in |

John Taylor has been appointed Postmaster at Richmond, Ky.

For alleged failure to collect licenses for forty-seven years' board furnished an old and taxes, suit for \$70,000 has been brought | bachelor who died recently with a fortune of against the bondsmen of the ex-Sheriff at \$270,000. He left her a legacy of five thou-Vicksburg, Miss., recently. Similar action | sand dollars, and directions that she should Treasurer for receiving warrants in settle-

THE late Samuel Willetts, of New York, General Gordon, of Georgia, is the leading who left an estate valued at \$5,000,000, beA DASH FOR LIBERTY.

Mutinous Convicts Apply the Torch to the A Washington special to the Chicago Trib-Missouri Penitentiary-A Bold Plan of une of the 12d gives the following summary o Escape Frustrated by Determined The bill repeals all internal-revenue taxes except the whisley and beer tax and the tax up

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., February 23, This city was to-day the scene of one of the ost exciting events in the State's historya fire in the penitentiary, attended with a threatened outbreak of convicts. ORIGIN OF THE PIRE.

The firewas set by a desperado named John Johnson, who was sent up for highway obbery in October, 1882, fg.om Shelby Count He is serving a twelve years' sentence. His object, it appears, was to effect his escape. He once before tried to make his escape, in December last, by cutting the bars in the new ell building. Among his accomplices are W. F. Taylor, who was sent up from Jackson conty for sixteen years, also for robbery and Perry Mactin, who is on a twelve years' sentence from Barry County, for stage robbery; also John Williams, here for two years, for breaking jail in Jackson County. A little accomplices went into the drying department of the straw collar shop and commenced an assault on Mathew Schinberg, formerly of the collar department. He made several passes with a big knife, aiming at Schinberg's breast, when the latter raised his arm to ward off the thrust and was severely cut in two places on his arm, the gashes going to the bone. The desperadoes then knocked Schinberg down, stood him up again and walked him over into a corner and CORRALLED HIM THERE.

Having thus fixed Schinberg they next attacked his partner, John Snyder, made him mustrip his clothes, which Johnson put on and thus dressed in "square" clothes be walked out of the shop, seized a short ladder and going to the northeast angle of the penihouse, not suspecting a convict there in "square" clothes inquired, "What are you go swered that there was a little trouble among the prisoners in the yard above and he was sent there to assist in anarling the point. The guard then threatened to shoot him if he did not get down from the ladder at once. Johnson then went back to the staffing shop and with a match set fire to the loose straw used in stuffing collars. He also cut the hose, and meeting again with Schinberg he tureatened to kill him

HE ARMED HIMSELP with a club in one hand and a knife and shoe nammer in the other, and then can into Sullivan's saddle-tree shop, drove in the guard and attempted to rouse the convicts to revolt, and, had he succeeded, amid the general confusion caused by the fire, he would have been successful in making his escape. Full-Ing in this he went into the old cell-house where he was captured by Captain Bradbury. ton—as fixed by the Tariff Commission, which is about the pre-ent rate. Fig-fr n, wrought and scrap iron are reduced from \$7 to \$6.50 per He dropped his weapons on sering Bradbury. He was then conveyed with his accomplices into the blind-cell. and scrap from are reduced from \$7 to \$5.50 per ton; wrought scrmilion from \$8 to \$6.50; gived rad's from \$8.8 to \$1.60; per ton; bur from 18 reduced on the average about one-quarter cent per p und. Buss a sheetiran is reduced from three cents to two costs per pound; sheet-from is reduced on an average of one-quarter cent per pound; tin plates are reduced from one and one-tenth to one cent per pound; cotton ties remain un hanged; were reduced from an ites remain un hanged; were reduced from an CAPTAIN BRADBURY'S STATEMENT.

Capt. Bradbury, the Deputy Warden, male the following statement: "The fire occurred about 12:30 o'clock, just at the time when nearly all the contractors and foremen had gone to dinner. Word was sent methat there was trouble and a muliny among the convicts in the collar department. I immediately notified Warden Willis and then went into the yard, revolver in hand, and captured all the convicts then running loose and sent them to their cells. I was not aware until after this that was ascertained I turned out all the convicts who could be trusted to help save the property. I was informed that Johnson had started the fire, and in company with a number of confederates were doing all in their power to keep it from being extinguished. In company with Mr. Tolin, I captured Johnson and Taylor, who were armed with knives, and had been cutting the hose whenever an opportunity afforded. Johnson failed to escape by climbing over the wall. He then

hurried back to the co llar shop and SET IT ON FIRE. The shop was full of straw and other com bustible matter and consequently burned very rapidly. About twenty-five of the convi to were in the mutiny and the number increased until they were elecked. Johnson was the ring-leader, and with his confederates they overpowered the guard, Van Hora, whom Johnson compelled to change clotnes with him, thinking, no doubt, that he could pass the outside guard without detection if dressed in citizen's clothes."

Captain Bradbury further stated that John son was a desperate character and would frequently make serious trouble in the prison, Recently he made an unsuccessful attempt to escape. Captain Bradbury estimates the number of prisoners that will be idle as a consequence of the fire at 100.

THE BUILDINGS BURNED Strauss & Co, as a collar and harness factory. No. 3 shop, first and second floors occupied by Strauss & Co. as a tannery and whip shop, appear below. The cuts, as published in the Broom Company. The east end of this building also contains the State Carpenter and weaving shops, while the basement is used as a machine shop. Shop No. 4, occupied on the first floor by the Standard Shoe Company, and on the second and third floors by the Gie-ecke Boot and Shoe Company. These buildings have all been erected with-

THE STATE'S LOSS on this property is total, and will foot up to \$80,971 according to the inventory by the appraisers and reported by the inspectors to the Assembly on January 15 last. Of this amount shops 2, 3 and 4 represent respectively \$12,500, \$25 000 and \$18,000. The much nery, hoffers and shafting stand for \$15,250, while the baiance covers the oil house, hose house, water tunks, corn mills, muchine shops, woolen factory, carpenter shops and furniture belonking to the State in the shops.

THE CONTRACTORS' LOSSES. duction on carpets is at least 5 per cent. over the present rates. All wool does goods are given a new description, and the rates are increased one cent a yard above present rates. This is the only increase in this schedule. It is made on ensibly to encourage the manufacture of this class of goods as new industry.

Support of the stock. Mr. Strauss says he is insured for something like \$02,000, but thinks his actual loss on stock is between \$20,000 and the rates are increased one cent a yard above present rates. This is the only increase in this schedule. It is made on ensibly to encourage the manufacture of \$76,000, and this amount is somewhat in excess of their loss. The Excelsion of the comes to think it over the present rates are increased one cent a yard above present rates. The six the only increase in this schedule. It is made on the comes to think it over an insurance of \$76,000, and this amount is somewhat in excess of their loss. The Excelsion of the comes to think it over the present rates. The position is northwest by west, and near the horizon just after twilight. The cents are increased one cent a yard above present rates.

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A DESPERATE MAN Johnson, the ring-scader of the revolt today was sent up from Shelby County for robbery and grand larceny and was a terror to county and during the night he entered the bed loom of the proprietor with a cocked revolver, and, in the presence of his wise, compelled the man to go down stars, unlock the safe and deliver his minney—quite a large sum. He was armoved the man to go down stars, unlock the safe and deliver his minney—quite a large sum. He was armoved the sum there will probably be a more brilliant daplay. More observation is needed before anything definite can be said. nemery—quite a large sum. He was arrested, it taking twenty four men to capture him. During his trial at Shelbyville he jumped out of the Court-house window, carrying out the sush, and in the fall broke his lez. Johnsonmadea desperate effort to escape while on his way to Jefferson City by an attempt to snatch a pistol from one of the tempt to snatch a pistol from the tempt to snatch a pistol from the tempt to snatch a pistol from the tempt to apt to snatch a pistol from one of the ards. He was overpowered and brought here in irons.

To-morrow the charters of more than 300 National Banks in various parts of the counwould be taken against the present County | charge him eight dollars a week for the time | try expire. Nearly all the banks first estabbut on ne day so many as to-morrow.

Lands. One day last week a deed was brought to the was executed in 1861. Furing all these years utility was not demonstrated to the e holder has ball to record tile to his farm. id, had the original owner been so disposed could have sold it egain, and had the second surchaser recorded his deed he would have held the legal title. There are thousands of like instances in this and o her States. Every bold rof a deed of real estate should make weight diminishes to the youngest wito ure that it is on record. In the Un ted States | weighs 177 pounds. Land Office here are nearly 30,(0) Governrecord in the proper county. Some of the entries which they represent are thirty and forty

years old. It is not generally known, or this has no evidence of title to his land whatever, and should he die no conveyance con'd be estate. All he hed's is the certificate shows that he has paid so much money for a certain quantity of land-a simple receipt for money. It gives no title, and guarantees nothing. If he has sold the land on the bas s

rush for Government I and twenty-live ye ra ago mistakes were liable to cecur, and did oc-In many instance, certificates and patents were duplicated. In several instances when parties received their patents it dethe certificate. In one fastance a per on, who, that as long ago is 1808, by a defaulter after waiting many years, came here to get who bore the appropriate name of Skin-his patent or deed, found it was for a tract dif-ner. ferent from that described in his cortificate. He had sold the land and given a warranty was not a deed by a large ma ority. It cost him a good s in of money to settle with his grantee. Probably 20,000 holders of Government land in this State are in the same fix, and percet d. This is true of all purchases of chaser has died, and it is discovered that a The Pennsylvania State wrong tract has been deeded or patent d, a tew patent or deed can not issue, for lan t can not be conveyed to a dead man. Hence, every helder of Government land, whether the orig-40 St. Lauis Giobe-Democrat. ---

Miss Louise Slater, aged three years, and rived from L'yerpool the otherday. They en- comes Mrs. A. T. Stewart, \$.00,000 children who ever landed at Castle Garden un- August Belment, \$350,000. These galecompanied by their parents or guard aus. They are as rosy-cheeked and healthy a pair of infants as one would wish to see, and as they trotted about the rotunda hand in hand they looked allogether comfortable and happy, the manufacture of cotton goods in They were warmly and neatty dressed, and it | Maine, with a capital of \$10,810,000. for them during the long and stormy veyage. | woolen goods, with a capital of \$2,124.motherly-looking woman who watched the children with smiling eyes, 'Lori, sir," she said. "the bab es were well looked after. I didn't do more nor the rost, Every man and woman in the ship felt kindly toward 'em and they couldn't have had better care if their own mother was with 'em. They're dear little ones and I have grown as fond of 'em as my own." When Slater and his wife, the parents of the little travelers, came to this city from England six months ago, they were poor and left the children in a pediment in his peachcharitable institution in Liverpool, until they had made a home for them, and saved enough money to pay their passage. The mother was sent for and was overloyed to meet her little one. Master Will e, du ingh's shortstay in the rotunda, developed astonish og industry and

ingenuity in ge ting into m schief. He turned pulled the yellow h ir of a big German boy, pinched a Swedish baby until it howied, upset en inkstand over some official records, and tripped up an Irishman with a booke I cane .-N. F. MIN.

The New Five-Cent Piece. At the time, a few weeks ago, the coinage of the new nickel was tegun at the Philade phia

Herald, are re fo lows:



pieces with gold and paining them off on un- it when you get home, though" orsusp eting parties for five-dollar gold pieces, and he see the Government authorities have eased the forther minting of the new nickels. There being a limited number of the new grandmother." - Boston Post. leces in c.rculation in different sections of ready commanding a premium of from one face value.

The New Comet.

wift comet which was discovered on Friday N. Y. Ledger. night inst at Rochester, N. Y., were made at the private observatory of George Gilderis insured for \$85,000, and his loss will not sleeve in this city last evening. The result was highly satisfactory. The position of the mass of haze. The tall was about thirty honorable man, doesn't mention it. m nutes long, but very faint. The comet is very bright in the telescope, and on a dark sky, away from the twillight, could be seen by the naked eye. Its motion since its discovery stru k his attention. Several gentle has been eastward eleven degrees and north- Inch were conversing about the animal, ward half a degree, a probable indication that one of whom expressed the outnion that thas been around the sun and is going off it was a lower order of the hum n ton of about thirty-five degrees above the horizon, appearing as a faint brush of light in the heavens.—Bultimore, Md., (Feb 27) Special that of addits, beautiful causes the infant to yell so vociferously during the night.

A currous case, the first of its kind ever the richness of the butyric and caproic tried in Boston or, indeed, in Suffolk County, | acids, and it may be a displaced pln. salivened the routine of the Supreme Court Norristown Herald. a few days ago. It was the trial of an action or damages brought ag inst William A.

-An Chio family of six weigh a ton an average of 277 pour is each. The father's weight is 480 younds. tha mother's 286; the oldest 307 and the

ental patents of hand, which should be in in the Wyoming Valley underlies a esession of the owners of the land, and on tract fifteen m les long and two or three wide. It has a depth of from 1, 100 to 1,000 feet. The vein at Warsaw is

as much as a diamond of the same size made, and there would be trouble in settling and one of ten carals three times as of purchase from the Register and Receiver size. A per ect ruby is the carest of all much as a diamond of a corresponding stones. - Chicago Inter Occion. -Foreigners smile at our little army of 25,000 men, but they would look very

serious if we should call out the of such certificate he has done so w thou legal | surves. | Unc e Sam has 6,797,001 | oftiright or title. It is well-known that in the zen soldiers to call upon in case of an emergency. - Springhed (Mass.) Union - Massachusetts has had twenty five State Treasurers, and of the \$353,086 -017 which have passed through their

-Persons who tell of the marvelous

the nearest in estimating the number of it is only by surrendering their certificates at | peas in a glass jar exposed in its store. the land office that errors, if any exist, can be | The guesses varied from 1,000 to 1,000,-

one to ten per cent. is shown in seven count es.

-- Somebody has figured it out that the aggregate cost of the pictures in the Master Willie Slater, aged five, came all alone | pr.vate galleries of New York City is at series the broad Atlantic as steerage passen- least \$6,000,000 W. H. Vanderbitt gers on the steamer Lake M chigan, which are heads the list with \$1,000,000, and then loy the distinction of being the very youngest | Mrs. Catherine L. Wol e. \$400,000, and leries are filled almost entirely with the

works of fore gn artists. average from \$38 to \$42 per month, the spinners about \$1.40 per day, on a gen-

WIT AND WISDOM.

- Perhaps you heard about the boy who complained of the stone as an im-People who are not rich, but live as if they were rich, are the least likely

is full of such people. - Chicago Journa! den, burned his fingers with a not poker, and especially when to keep still, -- N.

-A circus might gain the reputation of having the champion equilibrist if it would engage a man who would step out of the sawdust and balance the books of a Newark Savings Bank, - A. Y. Graphic.

were as follows: No. 2 shop, occupied by all by teling generally and liberally distributed a post mortem examination on the lody. throughout the country, but its further coins The guilty should be brought to justice. -Norrestown Horald - "No, young man, it doesn't hurt you a particle to sow your wild oats. Go

> ndicate its value except the "V" on the re-erse was soon "made a note of" by coun-and fell, making sad havoe with the conterfeiters, who at once commenced gilding the tents of her basket. "Won't you catch

> I won't," she answered. "T've got a -A gentleman tisiting a school had he country a lively demand has sprung up a book put into his hand for the purfor them by co'n hunters, and they are all pose of examining a class. The word "inheritance ' occurring in the verse, hundred to four hundred per cent. over their the querist interrogated one of the youngsters as follows: "What is patri-"Something left father." "What would you call it if Priva e scientific o's vations of the new left by a mother?" "Matrimony."-

-Customer: "What do you ask for your half-dollar tea?" Shopman "Well, our regular price is seventy-five

-A greenhorn went to a menagerie, where an orang outang particularly

but we can't always tell. It may be

-The American people, in adopting any great reform, are all much like the A BIN containing 3,000 bushels of cotton roared the Dutchman. "Why, you o'd

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Compiled from Various Sources. CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS. FRURUARY 25, -In the Senate the Legis-

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announced his intention to resign his office as President pro tem, at noon on Saturday, Murch S. A resolution to provide for religation of the Hawalian reci-frenty was referred. The resolu-cilling for a statement of amounts or apecual attorneys for the De-cott of Justice was adopted. House oncurrence in amendments to the Austrian uc. and Taviff bill was an ed; and after long discussion bassy, and Adorall, Sherman, Aldrich, Bayard Quirinal. R were appointed conferees......In the the re-olution amending the rules ced to: Conferees were appointed on FEBRUARY 28. - In the Senate the House day and then killed himself. still to restore to citizenship such citizens of

they found any restrictions to incling the constitutionally of the measure placed on the action of the House committee. The bill to give flucrossed pensions to one armed and one-legged soldiers was taken up, and after a long delade the bill was reported to like Senate, the amendments usede in Committee within Whole 2 rood to, and the bill nation of the Whole garreed to, and the bill possell—yeas, 27; mays, 11. Mr. Allison re-ported the Sundry Civil bill and said he would portulate Sundry Civil bill and said he would end it up to payerow.... In the House Messrs.

Randfatt, Morrison and Tucker successivery designed to serve on the Tariff conference roundlitee and Mr. sper (iia.) was appointed. Consideration of the River and Ingresor bill occupied the remainder of the apper bill occupied the remainder of the furlif conference committee. The Chair was be over. uthorized to fill vacacies, and Mesers. A PARTY of ranchmen surprised an Such was the distress at Loughrea, the flux proposed is the first speciment of the priests, consistent appointed is the flux proposed in the flux proposed in the first speciment appointed is the flux proposed in the flux proposed in

was agreed to, and the River and Harbor bill wounded, was ordered printed.... In the House the concernes report on the Fortification Apconsidered in committee. An effort to pro-hibit the further construction of levees except in the performance of existing commissis was lest. The rules were suspended and the General Deficiency bill was passed, after which the River and Harbor his being resumed. Mr. Van Voorids moved to stake out the appropriation for the Sucra-mento liver, saving that nobody but a gambert and a cut throat would have thought of tacking it to the bull. A motion was made

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL. THE Montana Legislature has passed years. a vote of thanks to Governor Crosby, General Sheridan, and Senator Vest for their offeris to protect Yellowstone Park. Stockholm that he lutends to claim the re- his real estate, running two years.

26th, of heart di-ease. Military Asylum at Milwaukee, Wis., is lished at Leadville, Colo., and the public Robert Vincent, once High Sheriff of Cark, schools have been closed on account of Ireland, and prominent as a soldier in the small-pox.

asis more favorable to France.

from the other day. Parnell claimed that exposed the workings of a treasonable so- of which \$2,400,000 were standard silver the power of arrest in Ireland was abused, ciety, with funds and secret tribunals re- dollars. the judges were unfit to try political causes, cently, and the authorities made over five HANK MONK, the Nevada stage-driver, freedom of speech did not exist, and the hundred arrests. Freedom of speech did not exist, and the Government could not rule Ireland without the sympathy of the people.

The Michigan Republican State Congentian convened at East Saginaw on the 28th and nominated the following candidates: For Justice of the Supreme The man Hayes, who jumped from a convened to the free interval and the data and the free interval and the following candidates: For Justice of the Supreme The man Hayes, who jumped from a central and the data and the following languages are put bundred arrests.

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Cana., resulted in a victory for the Mowat head. reform administration. the prohibitory amendment to the Consti- personal injuries.

of the late Marshall Jewell.

THOMAS W. PALMER, of Detroit, THE First National Bank of Union Sing Lum, a Chinese murderer unwas elected United States Senator on the Wills, Union City, Pa., has closed its doors. der sentence of death in San Francisco, Cal., spirit. A trunk railroad will be built down queathed \$54,000 for educational and chart-bank effects will be constantly expiring. ture on the lat

FEBRUARY 26. - The credentials of Mr. these places were gone. At Columbus, paper manufacture in the West, running olphus Senator trom Oregon were presented. Kr., over ten feet of water was spread over | eight establishments. It to punish false personation of officers the town and filled nearly all the stores. It was reported on the 28th that in Belmont, Mo., opposite Columbus, was also some parts of County Donegal, Ireland,

> of embezzling \$1,600 from the United States | per at the end of an eight-foot tunnel, in A SLEIGHING party of thirty-two per- 000 tons of limestoneon the 27th. sons went over a forty-foot bank into the PRESIDENT ARTHUR recently ad-Delaware and Hudson canal near Hawley, vanced \$28,000 to Pastor Galligan, of the

> Evanston Road was made at Chicago, Ill., GEORGE H. TAYLOR & Co., wholesale the other night by enraged property-owners, printers and stationers of Chicago, Iil.,

FERRUARY 27.-In the Senate Mr. Davis | Doane Whitney and forced to settle. As earthquake startled the citizens of THE \$6,000,000 toan recently called

trouble originating in a gambling-house in up t fliver Commission was presented. The trouble originating in a gamoning node in wised by a letter signed "Justice" to pay a F. J. FRIED, formerly an extensive

> E. A. SHANNON, who had recently cut quite a swell in Dallas (Tex.) society, bus been arrested and taken to Waco, where THE five train robbers arrested re- debt of the State.

JOHN CRAWFORD, Auditor of Arkan-

Lower Mississippl regions was still causing

Berlin, Vienna, St. Petersburg and Paris. pro-

In the British House of Commons, in each, and commence business May 1.

SOUTHERN GLEANINGS. ty from the effects of the late cold weather. Water holes were filled with dead animals and every hour added to the mortality. Several parties who recently purchased reduction, compared with last year's buscattle at high prices to embark in the ness of \$11.5 %,205. business would be bankrupted, as they were

ary to recuperate.

went to Dallas, Tex., a few days ago in Tariff to muission. There have been a lurge search of his son, who was kidnapped five num or of articles adde to the free list years ago and brought to America. Mr. Butler had spent five years of time and a bid, four-viz : "Si k," "tobacco" "nemp and great deal of money in the effort to find bis flax" and "li ners are pract cally an hange m, but without avail. He was much disuraged, but will not abandon the search. Two wood-choppers named Frank

nto the base of Rlake's skull, and the lat-

The giving way of a trestle leading

The derailing of a freight engine

Line, twenty-five miles east of Neosho
Junction, Utah, recently. The cars were
badly wrecked.
LOUIS P. CARMAN, ex-Secretary of
the Manhattan Fire Insurance Company,
had been missing from New York several
days on the 28th, when his accounts were
found to be \$10,000 short.

The fast foot of land at Arkansas
City, Ark., had disappeared under water
on the 1st. Disastrons crevasses were reported, though planters were still hopeful
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ported the centry of Altoona, Pa., which is
midd one tenth thone eent per pound; cotton
the continue.

Henry Watterson, editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, by invitation of the
Democratic members of the Tennessee Leglistaure, delivered an address in Nashville
the other night on tax reform and tariff.

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Daniel Townsend and his wife, Minerva,
while sleeping, were shot and slain a few
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kansas contractor. The bid was \$72,000. A Government engineer, who prepared the plans for the work, says it will cost \$95,000 o accomplish it as the Government desires

murdered Green Butler, a prominent stockman, near Galveston, in May, 1882. of small-pox at that place. John Barrow, a quiet, peaceable citizen of Pike County, living near Barnesville, Ga., went into town the other day and surrendered himself, saying that he had killed

has recently sold \$160,000 of United States | fore. The Coroner summoned a jury and bonds for his State and placed the proceeds, held an investigation, and the verdict exceeding \$189,000, in bank to reduce the was that Jerry Collier was willfully murdered by John Barrow. The Coroner's inquest developed the fact that the negro was shot in the face, but that the shot that killed him entered his back In the United States Senate on the and pierced his left lung. The cause of the

quire into the condition of the Sioux Indi- Books were opened at Galveston, BARON NORDENSKJOLD, the Swedish sas, finding his accounts short, has handed ans. Conference report on the Army bill Tex., recently for a morigage bank, and explorer, has notified the Dutch Minister at the President of the Senate a mortgage on was agreed to. The House refused to con- subscriptions to the amount of \$2,000,000 An inexhaustable mine of kaolin has been discovered lately in a mountain slide

Banghman Brothers, stationers and except table sait. The rate on hats and bon-

A recent telegram from Tallahassee, Fig., announced that the bill incorporating the International Railroad and Steamship Company had been signed by the Governor. the backbone of the peninsula to Key West, | tuble purposes

charges for what are known as packages and the cost of inland transportation. This it is stimated, will reduce the expenses of impor ration under the existing law about five pe cent. The general changes made by the Ser the direction of lower rates. To this there ar omparative'y tew exceptions. There are even fewer exceptions if the compani son is made with the bill reported by the Of the fourteen schedules e inposing the as con pared with the exact as law. The exce Buts ouch magazion leaf tobaccou-ci c Chem culs were r dire d by the Tariff commission from twenty-five to thirty per commission from the Sandachave became in the direction of further reduction. Paos, hates and itertifices lawer became upon the free 1st. Reduction have been mands upon the ray all drops amonglyes. The only exception is the terems mad upon the extract of summe, to suits y the Vigna some i dus ry, the exception at increases in the school of are the research of a dark products, a linear the research of the contract of the contract

he rest of the chamient scareful we sted a close home to for parish was relief to the cuts, and entine dyes to the ty-tyope on divide on. These changes are important for standard content manufactures. A large tentiary yard placed the ladder against the wall. T. J. Love, a guard of the roundby the Senate. There were, however, and in Ing to do with that ladder?" Johoson an centra pound.

schedule 1-zarthenware and Glass

Ware.

The rat se main practicely as reported by
the Finance complifier, with the exception
that common winds we less wis relocated half a
centra pound. The rates of the committee
were about if to per centriess than he rate of
reported by he Tirff Commission and were
intended to be early flent to the present rates.

The Tariff Commission increases them on account of the aboution of the duties in pack
ages and infant transportation. The Tariff
Commission increase with 15 per central valorem. The Senare reduced it to 10 per central
and abolished the charges and infand transportation which, the committee chained, with

he limber turons.
SCHEDULE B-SUGAE.
The reduction of sugar below No. 13 Dutch standard in color is plant 13 per cent. or 45 standard in color is about 18 per cent. or 45 cents a pound. This would be a reduction of the revenue from sugar of \$8.443.00. The reduction on sugar above No. 13 Dutch standard is about 25 per cent. of the present rates. This is a larger reduction above than on those The notable change in the tobacco schedule is the mercase on tobacco used exclusivity for wrapping, known as the Sumatra tobacco, Most of the articles in this schedule remain unchanged. Barley and malt are reduced live cents a bushel. Rice is raised a quarter of a cent a pound. There is a slight increase on or age and lemons, and bancaus are put on the free list. There is a large reduct on in dr.ed traits, figs, raising and sectments, Outmeal is reduced one-half cent per pound. Chocolate and chicory are reduced.

SCHEDULE II—LIQUORS.

The potable change is an increase of the duty In the last ten years.

SCHEDULK J-HEMP, JULE AND FLAX.
Haw hemp is increased from \$15 to \$20 per
ton and jute-butts put on the free list. The fire throws 550 prisoners and fifty square men out of employment. It will probably take the whole of the building season to re-SCHEDULE K-WOOLENS.

The clothing and combing wools are reduced about 10 cen's on wool below 30 cents in velue and 12 cents on wools above 30 cents. Carpet wools are reduced one-sixth of the am unt of the duth's from three cents to two build and refit the shops, but the Warden thinks a large part of the men will be at work and one-hilf cents for wood below 13 cents in value and from six to five cents for woods ab we the specific duty. Wooden goods and administrators of wooden are reduced on an average to 35 per cent. ad valor m. The re-It is impossible to estimate accurately the equal this amount, as he succeeded in saving a portion of the stock. Mr. Strauss says he is | comet was found to be approximately in right |

The rates are reduced to 50 per cent. ad Hooks are reduced from 25 to 15 per cent. at some form 25 to 15 per cent. advalorem. Hooks in foreign languages are put nets is reduced about 3% per cent.

IN CONCLUSION.

The reductions in the bill, it is estimated by the Finance Committee, will reach 30 per cent.

This reduction of 30 per cent. does not inflicate in any degree, what the effect upon the

Expiring Bank Charters.

he had lived and roomed with her after de-ducting eight do lars a month for the rent of the house which belonged to him. He in-tended to marry her, but put it off, until he cited, concluding to pay for his own board in-stead of for hers.—Brooklyn (N. Y.) Eagle.

Hished went into operation on February 21, loss, and their charter period of twenty years has terminated. All but five have been ex-amined by special agents and will go on with-out delay, under new charters, but with the stead of for hers.—Brooklyn (N. Y.) Eagle.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., February 25.

Warning to Investors in Government

FACTS AND FIGURES. -The first telegraphic instrument was successfully operated by S. F. B. ecorder's Office here to be ree ried, which Morse, the inventor, in 18 5, though the world until 1812. N. Y. Herald.

The deposit of salt just discovered

ald not be the case; the holder of this hand seventy feet thick, -N. Y. Sun. -A ruly of five carats is worth twi n

ser bed an entirely different tract of land from hands on y \$21,000 was ever lost, and

leed. The land d seribed in the patent had speed of railway trains should bear in already been taken by another purchaser who mind that an engine moving at the rate received a cortificate for the same lant, of sixty miles an hour passes over and got his potent, and sold it again. The first eighty-eight feet of ground each secchaser having dis overed the condicting ond. A horse trotting at a speed of title, sought to correct it, when he discovered 2:10 covers more than forty icut per his mis ake, and that a certificate of purchase second. -A New York firm offered prizes to those of its customers who should come

000. The exact number was 44,47% lovernment land in any State. And here and the first price was given to a man -The Pennsylvania State Board of Agriculture estimates the wheat crop of he State at 22,425,000 bushels, from 1,495,000 acres. Returns from liftyind purchas r er not, should know that the | n ne counties report an increase. Varyrument patent is of record. I and sharks | ing from two per cent. in Schuylkill to exist everywhere, and they will cause trouble forty per cent, in Lancaster, over the when least expected. -Des Moines (Ia.) Special vield of 1881, while a decrease of from

-Fifteen corporations are engaged in was pla'n to be seen that some one had cared and fourteen in the manufacture of The rep rier had his suspicious concerning a | 000. About 75 per cent. of the woolen and 83 per cent. of the cotton operatives are Americans. The weavers

> eral run of 11 hours per day. ---

wer to become rich. And "society" -The great secret of gett ng on well with the world, a secret which few a water fancet and nearly thooded Castle Gar- have learned, is to know when to speak

-Dr. Schliemann, it is stated, will die Mint the Chicago Dady Herald secured and northwest of Athens, in search of Perpublished cuts showing both faces of the new | icles grave. We suspect a suspicion coin. At that time it was thought this new has got abroad that the late Mr. Pericle five-cent piecs would seen become familiar to was poisoned, and it is proposed to held

ahead and sow as you wish. Int it's the githering in of the crop that will make you howl. And you have to gather it, too If you don't, it gathers you in, and one is a great deal worse than the other." - Baptist Weekly. -Down in Salem the other day a The fact that there is nothing on the coin to bright little girl was sent to get some